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SECTION 8. ARBITRATION.

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The hearing shall be informal, and the rules of evidence prevailing in judicial proceedings shall not be applicable. Any and all documentary evidence and other data deemed revelant by the arbitrator may be received in evidence. The arbitrator shall have the power to administer oaths to require by subpoena the attendance and testimony of witnesses, the production of books, records and other evidence relative or pertinent to the issues presented to him for determination.

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Janet M. Bradbury

Approved as to form and legality

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7 April 1986

Ms. Sandy Kennedy, Clerk City Clerk's Office City-County Building One Main Street Fort Wayne, IN 46802

reference: Collective Bargaining Ordinance S-86-03-18

(Bradbury/Henry/Redd Authors)

Dear Sandy:

This is to request that on the agenda for Tuesday, 8 April 1986 that the following names be listed, as they will be in attendance if there are any questions regarding the above ordinance.

Mike Hess Gay Schmidt Allan D. Frisinger Steve Ludwig

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Fraternally yours,

Nancy Shafer, President

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cc: Janet Bradbury, Council-At-Large Thomas Henry, 3rd District Councilmember Charles Redd, 1st District Councilmember All City Unions

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